



# State of Utah

## DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES Division of Oil, Gas & Mining

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## **Inspection Report** Minerals Regulatory Program

Report Date October 14, 2005

Mine Name: Tom Taylor

**Operator Name:** Ziegler Chemical

Permit number: S/047/065 Inspection Date: September 1,

Supervisor

2005

Time: About 1:30-2:00 PM

Weather: Clear, 80's

Inspector(s): Paul Baker

Other Participants: Stan Wagner (Ziegler)

Mine Status: Active

Enforcement **Elements of Inspection** Evaluated Comment 1. Permits, Revisions, Transfer, Bonds 2. Public Safety (shafts, adits, trash, signs, highwalls) 3. Protection of Drainages / Erosion Control 4. Deleterious Material 5. Roads (maintenance, surfacing, dust control, safety) 6. Concurrent Reclamation 7. Backfilling/Grading (trenches, pits, roads, highwalls, shafts, drill holes) 8. Water Impoundments 9. Soils 10. Revegetation 11. Air Quality 12. Other

#### **Purpose of Inspection:**

We were in the area, and since I wanted to see the site since I had not previously inspected it.

#### **Directions to Site:**

I took a point using the GPS, but I did not walk around the entire site. It is clearly less than five acres. I did not record precisely how to get to the site, but just before crossing the White River is a sign saying "White River Launch Site." You take the road that is just north of this sign.

#### **Inspection Summary:**

2. Public Safety (shafts, adits, trash, signs, highwalls)

The operator is actively mining at this site, and the facilities include an ore bin, a hoist, a truck loading area, and a compressor and generator (Photos 1 and 2). Near the top of the hill by the mine is a capped shaft (Photo 3). There is some trash lying around the site (Photo 4).

#### **Conclusions and Recommendations:**

The only concern I have about this site is the trash. It is not extreme, but there is some that should be disposed of.

Inspector's Signature

PBB:jb

cc:

Stan WagnerZiegler Gordon Ziegler, Ziegler

Pete Sokolosky, Vernal BLM

Attachment: GPS & Photos 1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210, PO Box 145801, Salt Lake City, UT 84114-5801 telephone (801) 538-5340 • facsimile (801) 359-3940 • TTY (801) 538-7458 • www.ogm.utah.gov

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### **ATTACHMENT**

## **Photographs**

S/047/065, Tom Taylor Mine, Ziegler Chemical

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Photo 1. The ore bin and truck loading area.



Photo 2. Compressor and generator.



Photo 3. There is some trash at the are shown in this photo and elsewhere on the mine site.



Photo 4. A capped shaft on the hill above the mine.



# Mine Number: S470065 Mine Name: Tom Taylor Mine Township 10 S Range 24 E Section 03 SLBM

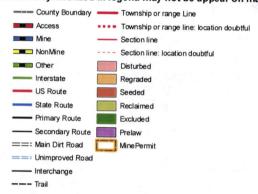
Inspection Date Sept. 01, 2005 Map Produced by DKS

Acres Disturbed	0
Acres Regraded	0
Acres Seeded	0
Road Acres Disturbed	0

Total Acres Distrubed 0

Acres Reclaimed	
Acres Excluded	
Acres Prelaw	

## Legend All items symbolized in legend may not be appear on map



## DOQ imagery date 2004





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